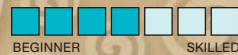


Create your own Scrapbook Topper

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Modelling · Painting

Easy Metal - versatile leaf metal

SKILLOMETER



WHAT YOU NEED:

Easy Metal (assorted colours),
Size for leaf metal, Shellac,
Thin card, Craft knife, Medium
and large brush, Shells,
Hessian, Glue, Methylated Spirits



1 Cut a piece of card to fit the dimensions of your scrapbook. If placing behind an aperture, allow an extra 10mm all around. Using a medium brush, seal the card and shells with a thin coat of shellac, allowing to dry for 20 minutes while you clean your brush with Methylated Spirits.



2 Using a medium brush, apply a thin coat of size to the sealed card and shells, allowing to dry for 20 minutes while you clean your brush with water.



3 Carefully lay a sheet of Easy Metal over the card rubbing gently so that it adheres to the surface. Remove any excess from the edges using a large, soft brush (a blusher brush would be ideal). Any bare areas can be dabbed with more size and covered with smaller pieces of Easy Metal once the size has been allowed to dry for 20 minutes.



4 Lay pieces of Easy Metal on to the shells, using a large, soft brush to work the metal into the crevices of the shell and remove any excess. Fray the edges of a piece of hessian and glue onto your covered card. Arrange your shells on top, gluing into place. Your topper is now ready for your scrapbook!

8+ adult supervision required

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